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House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

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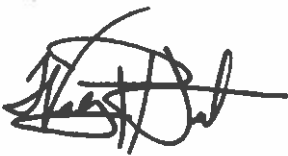
Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Galveston Ship Channel O & M Dredging project in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the US Army Corps of Engineers, located at 2000 Fort Point Rd. Galveston, TX 77550. The funding would be used for the deepening and widening of the Galveston Ship Channel. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the Galveston Ship Channel narrow width and shallow depths pose a threat to the safe and efficient navigation of vessels, leading to a reduction in the flow of the supply chain.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by WRDA 2018, Section 1401 (1)(3) PL 115-270.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Wesley P. Hunt

Member of Congress